

Claim Amendments:

Please amend the claims as set forth in the following (bracket “[]” denotes deletion and underline“ _ ” denotes addition.):

5. (currently amended): A grill rack cleaning device of claim 1, wherein said clip member is made of a thin sheet metal material having a thickness of less than one eighth of an inch[;] _
10. (currently amended): A grill rack cleaning device comprising:
a rigid main body comprising a metal plate having at least one slot;
a set of screws adjustably secured in said slot of said main body; and
plurality of substantially cylindrical clip members having longitudinal opening, each of said clip members being securely attached to one of said screws, and said clip members comprising a thin and elastically deflectable metal wall member.
11. (Canceled)
16. (currently amended): A method of cleaning a grill rack comprising
providing a cleaning device comprising a rigid main body and plurality of substantially cylindrical clip members securely attached to said main body, said clip member having a longitudinal opening and an thin wall member that surrounds an cylindrical interior, said clip members also being spaced apart in a parallel manner to match the metal rods spacing in a grill rack to be cleaned;
placing said cleaning device against a grill rack to be cleaned such that said opening of each clip member rests along the individual parallel metal rod on a grill rack;

applying a pressure to said cleaning device to force said clip members to push against said parallel metal rods of said grill rack, causing said metal rods on said grill rack to insert into said cylindrical interior of said clip members; and

Sliding said cleaning device along the longitudinal direction of said metal rods to perform cleaning.

17. (currently amended): A method of cleaning a grill rack of claim [18] 16, wherein said cleaning device further comprises an elongated handle securely attached to said rigid main body.

Clean Form of Amended Claims:

5. (currently amended): A grill rack cleaning device of claim 1, wherein said clip member is made of a thin sheet metal material having a thickness of less than one eighth of an inch.

10. (currently amended): A grill rack cleaning device comprising:
a rigid main body comprising a metal plate having at least one slot;
a set of screws adjustably secured in said slot of said main body; and
plurality of substantially cylindrical clip members having longitudinal opening, each of said clip members being securely attached to one of said screws, and said clip members comprising a thin and elastically deflectable metal wall member.

16. (currently amended): A method of cleaning a grill rack comprising
providing a cleaning device comprising a rigid main body and plurality of substantially cylindrical clip members securely attached to said main body, said clip member having a longitudinal opening and an thin wall member that surrounds an cylindrical interior, said clip members also being spaced apart in a parallel manner to match the metal rods spacing in a grill rack to be cleaned;
placing said cleaning device against a grill rack to be cleaned such that said opening of each clip member rests along the individual parallel metal rod on a grill rack;
applying a pressure to said cleaning device to force said clip members to push against said parallel metal rods of said grill rack, causing said metal rods on said grill rack to insert into said cylindrical interior of said clip members; and
Sliding said cleaning device along the longitudinal direction of said metal rods to perform cleaning.

17. (currently amended): A method of cleaning a grill rack of claim 16, wherein said cleaning device further comprises an elongated handle securely attached to said rigid main body.